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SUBJECT: SIGHTINGS OF MORE SHRIMP BOATS NEAR BELEM

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1. OUR CONSUL IN BELEM HAS BEEN INFORMED BY NAVY SOURCES THAT BEFORE THE THREE TRINIDADIAN BOATS WERE CAPTURED (REFTEL) IT HAD APOTTED SEVEN MORE SHRIMP BOATS OUTSIDE THE AGREEMENT AREA. THE NAVY WAS UNABLE TO CAPTURE THE BOATS. NATIONALITY OF THE BOATS IS NOT KNOWN. THIS WAS REPORTEDLY ONE OF THE NUMBER OF RECENT SIGHTINGS OF BOATS SHRIMPING OUTSIDE THE AGREEMENT AREA IN WHICH THE NAVY WAS NOT ABLE TO CATCH ANY OF THE BOATS.

2. AFTER THE CAPTURE OF THE TRINIDADIAN BOATS, CONSUL REPORTS, NAVY SOURCES SAID THAT THE HIGH NAVY COMMAND WAS UPSET THAT THE CAPTURE OF THE TRINIDAD BOATS

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WAS HEADLINE NEWS IN BELEM NEWSPAPERS. A SEARCH

WAS BEGUN IMMEDIATELY FOR THE LEAD THAT THE NAVY
COMMAND SUSPECTED WAS THE SOURCE OF THE STORY.
OTHERS AT THE FOURTH NAVAL DISTRICT HQ DISCOUNT
THE LEAK THEORY AND BELIEVE THAT THE NEWS STORIES
WERE MERE CONJECTURE BASED ON WHAT THE REPORTERS
ON THE BEACH AT MOSQUEIRO SAW.
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